

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

First Named Inventor:

Shlomo Ben Haim : Confirmation No.: 9326

Application No.: 10/561,491 : Art Unit: 3736

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For: Gastrointestinal Methods And Apparatus  
For Use In Treating Disorders

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Commissioner For Patents  
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**Response And Request To Add Inventors**

SIR:

In response to an Office Action dated November 16, 2007, Applicants elect the claims of Group II, namely, Claims 21-43 and 94-115, for prosecution herein.

In the Office Action the Examiner advised that the reply should include (1) an election of a species or invention to be examined and (2) identification of claims encompassing the elected invention. To the extent that this makes any sense since the Examiner has not identified any species, Applicants repeat their election of the claims of Group II, namely, Claims 21-43 and 94-115.

Applicants hereby request under 37 C.F.R. §1.48(a) that the inventorship of the above application be amended to add:

**Tami Harel**

**Ophir Bitton**

**Benny Rousso**

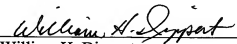
As is set forth in the enclosed Statement of Tami Harel, Ophir Bitton, and Benny Rousso, the omission of their names was inadvertent and without deceptive intent. Also enclosed are (1) a Declaration executed by Shlomo Ben-Haim, Shai Policker, Ricardo Avid, Ofer Glasberg, Tami Harel, Ophir Bitton and Benny Rousso; and (2) Power of Attorney forms executed by Tami Harel, Ophir Bitton and Benny Rousso.

Consideration of this request, the addition of Tami Harel, Ophir Bitton and Benny Rousso as co-inventors, and the issuance of a corrected Filing Receipt are respectfully requested.

A petition fee of \$130.00 is included in this submission.

Respectfully submitted,

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